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In re application of: Melvin L. Black

Attorney Docket No.: MBLKP003

Application No.: 10/085,415

Examiner: Sorkin, D.

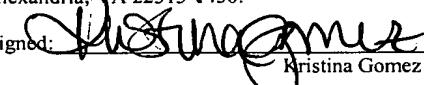
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT  
RESUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT A**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed January 22, 2003, please enter the enclosed corrected Amendment A.

If there are any issues remaining re: compliance with this Amendment, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

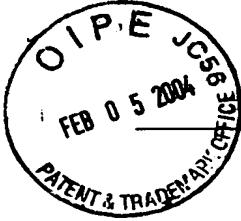
Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee for such extension or any further fee required in connection with the filing of this Amendment is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0388.

Respectfully submitted,  
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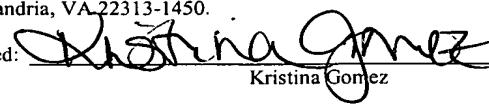
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**AMENDMENT A (RESUBMITTED)**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which being on page 2 of this papers.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.